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In re Application of

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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
IMPROVING CHANNEL
MONITORING IN A CELLULAR
SYSTEM**

Attorney's Docket No. 4015-398

Examiner
Iqbal, Khawar
Art Unit 2685

Raleigh, North Carolina
October 15, 2002

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action of August 28, 2002, Applicant submits the following Response. If any fees for the Response are required, Applicant submits that this be considered a Petition therefore, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 18-1167.

REMARKS

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant wishes to acknowledge the Examiner's indication that independent claims 3, 33, 36, and 46, as well as all of their dependent claims, are allowed.

Therefore, Applicant considers further discussion with respect to these claims moot.

Further, there appears to be a minor typographical error on page 3 of the Office Action, in which the Examiner supports a rejection to claims 10 and 11 under 35 U.S.C.